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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ETRD, GATT, FI

SUBJECT: GATT: FINNISH ARTICLE XXVIII:4 NEGOTIATIONS

REF: (A) GENEVA 8410, (B) STATE 134422

1. FINNISH DEL HAS SENT CONFIRMATION THAT ORANGES,
GRAPEFRUIT, GRAPES, APPLES AND PEARS ARE BOUND AT 7.5 PER-
CENT UNDER TARIFF ITEM 08.10. TEXT OF LETTER IS AS
FOLLOWS:

"WITH REFERENCE TO YOUR LETTER OF JUNE 2, 1978, I
HAVE THE HONOUR TO CONFIRM TO YOU THAT THE PRODUCTS
MENTIONED IN YOUR LETTER HAVE BEEN BOUND AT THE LEVEL
OF 7.5 PERCENT IN ITEM 08.10.

"FOR PRACTICAL REASONS THE BINDING WAS COMMUNICATED
WITH CANADA, WHICH WAS THE PARTY TO THIS NEGOTIATION
REQUESTING COMPENSATION. MY DELEGATION TOOK IT FOR
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GRANTED THAT OTHER PARTIES HAVING NEGOTIATING RIGHTS
WOULD ACCEPT THE SUBSTANTIAL REDUCTIONS IN WHICH THE
NEGOTIATIONS WITH CANADA RESULTED.

"I TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO CONFIRM TO YOU THAT THE
UNITED STATES RETAIN THEIR INITIAL NEGOTIATING RIGHTS IN
PRODUCTS WHERE SUCH RIGHTS EXISTED BEFORE THIS NEGOTIA-

TION."

2. WE ASSUME THAT THIS CLARIFIES QUESTION IN REF B
AND THAT WE CAN SIGN ARTICLE XXVIII AGREEMENT AS
INSTRUCTED REFTEL. VANDEN HEUVEL

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Message Attributes

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